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TO-DAY'S CABLES.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.)

SMYRNA CRISIS.

HARBOUR CLOSED WITH MINES.

WARNING TO TURKS.

PARIS, February 8.
It is reported from Constantinople that the Turkish time limit having expired Smyrna harbour has been closed with mines though merchantmen can enter safely by pilot.

VICE-ADMIRAL NICHOLSON ARRIVES.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 8.
Vice-Admiral Nicholson in the light cruiser "Caracca" entered Smyrna in the morning unopposed. He landed and interviewed the Turkish commander. It is understood that he informed the Turks of the decision of the powers not to recognise the restriction in Turkish ports until after the signature of the Peace. He warned them that he had orders to return fire in case of a hostile act.

The High Commissioners have handed Angora a fresh note demanding the withdrawal of the recent order.

PUBLIC FEELING EXCITED.

The Turkish newspapers view the crisis gravely and it is reported from Angora that public feeling is very excited. The Council of Commissioners is sitting continually. The press, unanimously demanding that the national pact be upheld, declares that Ismet's concessions at Lausanne must be annulled.

OBITUARY.

SIR JOSEPH WALTON.

LONDON, February 8.
The death of Sir Joseph Walton F. R. G. S. is announced.
(Sir Joseph Walton travelled extensively in China and Japan, among many other countries. In 1903 he published "China and the Present Crisis.")

BOTH WELL.

ROYAL MOTHER AND HER SON.

LONDON, February 8.
Princess Mary and her son are well. Princess Mary had a comfortable night and her condition is quite satisfactory.

AUSTRALIAN POLITICS.

NEW MINISTRY FORMED.

MELBOURNE, February 8.
Mr. Bruce has announced the successful forming of a composite ministry in conjunction with the Country Party.

FLIGHT FROM NEW YORK TO RIO.

NEW YORK, February 8.
Hinton aboard a seaplane has arrived at Rio de Janeiro thus completing the flight from New York.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE MUI TSAI BILL.

To the Editor of the "China Mail."

Sir.—It seems to me that yesterday afternoon's discussion in Council on clause 2 of the above Bill left matters in a very inconclusive state as to the practice which has been followed by the Office of the Chinese Secretariat in regard to the redemption by a parent of a girl whom he had transferred to an employer in return for a money payment.

"On this vital point there is only one Member of the Legislative Council who can clear things up, namely, the Secretary to Chinese Affairs. As it is conceivable that he will be unable to tell us that, if a parent came into his Office and asked for the return of his or her daughter from the employer without making any arrangement to the employer that the Officials of the Chinese Secretariat would tell the employer, in defiance of old Chinese custom, that he had to surrender the mutual contract making any repayment."

"I am sure that that would be adopted such a course, would have been parties to something very like sharp practice on the part of the parent."

For the above reasons, I state quite candidly that it will be very difficult indeed to convince me that the practice of the Chinese Secretariat (and that practice is the old custom of the matter) has been to absolutely fly in the face of a Chinese custom which is several thousands of years old.

I can well see that it does not suit the purpose of the Hongkong Government to admit that clause 2 of the Bill will make any difference to the position of maid-servants, as it has existed all along, but I emphatically cannot agree with that view.

I am writing this letter to the Press with the view of giving to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs the longest notice possible of the point which I desire him to clear up at the next Meeting of the Legislative Council.

Yours, etc.,
E. G. Pollock,
Hongkong February 9, 1923.

Louis K. C. of the Australian Chinese, Manager of the Phoenix Mauta Co., 118, Des Voeux Road Central, has been admitted into the first administration of his Colony to represent the Chinese community in the Legislative Council. He is a well-known and highly-respected Chinese merchant.

THE DOLLAR.

To-day's closing rate 2/2 11/16.

To-day's opening rate 2/2 11/16.

IRISH HOPES.

UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER SUGGESTED.

ALL EXECUTIONS SUSPENDED.

DUBLIN, February 8.

It is officially announced that Liam Deasy, the Deputy Chief of the Irregulars, who was arrested on January 18 and was sentenced to death has signed an undertaking to assist in the immediate unconditional surrender of arm and men and has asked the leaders of the Irregulars including De Valera to give a similar undertaking. All executions have accordingly been suspended until to-morrow morning pending developments.

RAILWAYMEN FOR RUHR.

4,500 LEAVING PARIS.

PARIS, February 8.

Some 4,500 railwaymen, all volunteers, are leaving for the Ruhr to-morrow, according to *Le Temps*.

BUBBING IT IN.

BERLIN, February 8.

A semi official statement from Becklinghausen says that eight policemen were arrested for refusing to salute occupation officers.

Tanks cleared the market square where a crowd was singing patriotic songs.

WHITECHAPEL BY-ELECTION.

TRANSPORT WORKERS' PRESIDENT WINS.

LONDON, February 8.

The Whitechapel by-election caused by the death of the Labourite member Mr. Mathew K. C. resulted as follows:

Mr. Harry Gooley (Labour) ... 6396.
Killey (Liberal) ... 6198.
Holden (Prohibitionist) ... 130.

[Mr. Harry Gooley is President of the National Transport Workers' Federation.]

ANOTHER HOPEFUL SIGN.

LONDON, February 8.

Another hopeful sign is officially announced in Dublin. A number of prisoners in Limerick claiming to represent six hundred have written suggesting that in view of the tremendous wastage of blood in the present struggle four prisoners be permitted to proceed on parole to the leaders outside to urge them to end the present war of extermination, all executions being meanwhile suspended.

LONDON EXCHANGE MARKET.

LONDON, February 8.

Dutch East Indies scrip attained a premium of 31 per cent.

French francs closed at 74/53, Belgian francs at 84/55, lire at 96/7, marks at 152,000/157,000 and sterling at 4/67.

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NOTICES.

LAMMERT BROS.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS
AND SURVEYORS.

Public Auctions

Undesignated have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,
on MONDAY, February 12, 1923,
commencing at 5.15 P.M.
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A Quantity of Valuable House-
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Comprising—

Wardrobes, dressing tables, hat
stands, brass and teak headboards,
stands, ice chests, pictures, etc.
Several pieces of blackwood ware.

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One L. C. Smith & Bros. typewriter
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Hongkong, February 7, 1923.

By Order of the Executor
PUBLIC AUCTION
of the
Following Valuable and Desir-
able Household Property
Inland Lot No. 172 and the message
known as "ULBANK" No. 2 May
Road, situate thereon
To Be Sold

Subject to a Reserve Price
TUESDAY the 13th day of Feb. 1923
at 3 p.m.

By LAMMERT BROTHERS,
Auctioneers
at their Sales Rooms, Duddell Street.Particulars and Conditions of Sale can
be obtained fromMessrs. DIAFON, HARSTON &
SHENTON
No. 1 Rue Vaux Road Centralor from
MESSRS. LAMMERT BROTHERS,
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Hongkong, February 1, 1923.

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GRAPH COMPANY, LTD.The following unclaimed telegrams
are lying at the office of The
Great Northern Telegraph Company
(Limited):—Dumaine, from Utrecht,
Bijou Hotel, from Wladiswostock,
Kowochow, from Tientsin.Lamuelian Great Eastern Hotel
from Shanghai, from Amoy.777, from Shanghai,
Kwang Le, from Shanghai,
Ho Choung, from Koko,
Tupfawho, from Shanghai.Wing Fatt & Co., De Vosse Road,
from Shanghai.N. LUND,
Act. Superintendent.

Hongkong, January 25, 1923.

List of unclaimed telegrams lying in
the Telegraph Office, Hongkong.Bellin Palace Hotel, Kowloon, from
Tynmouth.Mr. Nathan Hosen, Kowloon, from
Tynmouth.Wing Fatt, 109 De Vosse Road, W.
from Shanghai.

M. E. V. AIRY,

Hongkong, February 1, 1923.

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NOTICE.

OWING to the stopping of the Peak Tramway Service from 10 p.m. on the 10th inst., to 7 a.m. on the 12th inst., Motor Vehicles will be permitted to use the New Road to the Peak as far as Stewart Terrace from 6 p.m. on the 10th inst., to 10 a.m. on the 12th inst.

E. D. C. WOLFE,
Captain Superintendent of Police.
Hongkong, February 6, 1923.

ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

MEMBERS and FRIENDS are reminded that the GALA DAY in connection with the Opening of the NEW BOWLING LAWN takes place on SATURDAY, 10th February, when a very interesting Programme has been arranged.

The COMMODORE and MRS. LOWE will be "AT HOME" from 8 p.m.

D. K. BLAIR,
Vice-Commodore.
Hongkong, February 6, 1923.

DANCING.

PALACE HOTEL,
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JAZZ QUARTET

H. M. S. "TITANIA"
will play at the above Hotel on
SATURDAY 10th.

DANCING, 9 P.M.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONGKONG.

IN THE GOODS OF RAPHAEL
AARON GUBBAY late of
Victor Hongkong Exchange
Broker deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of Section 35 of the Probate, Ordnance 1897 (No. 3 of 1897) made an order limiting the time for sending in claims to or against the above estate to the 28th day of February 1923. Creditors and claimants are hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned by the above date.

Dated this 3rd day of February 1923.
DEACON HARSTON & SHENTON,
Proctors for the Executor
1 Des Voeux Road Central,
HONGKONG.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL
ASSOCIATION

INTERPORT GAME.

Hongkong v. Shanghai
Saturday, February 17th.
Club ground. Kick off at 4 p.m. sharp.

South China Athletic v. Shanghai
Monday, February 19th.
Club ground. Kick off at 4 p.m. sharp.

Admission to Stands—Both games.
Covered (All reserved) \$2. Uncovered
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Chairs 50 cents.

Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price to all the unreserved seats.

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Hongkong, February 1, 1923.

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THE TWENTY-SIXTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company St. George's Building, No. 6 Connaught Road, on SATURDAY the 10th of February, 1923, at 11 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Manager for the year ended 31st December 1922, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from

Thursday, the 1st February 1923 until Saturday, the 10th February, 1923, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOME & CO.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, January 26, 1923.

HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND
FINANCE COMPANY, LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS IN THIS COMPANY will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Hongkong on SATURDAY, the 10th February, 1923, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1922.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from the 5th February to the 12th February (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of Shares can be registered.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, January 24, 1923.

THE KOWLOON LAND AND
BUILDING CO. LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the THIRTY-FOURTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Office of Messrs. Dodwell & Company, Limited, on TUESDAY, the 16th February, 1923, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the report of the General Managers together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1922.

The REGISTER OF SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, 5th February to TUESDAY, 13th February both days inclusive during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
MOWBRAY S. NORTHCOTE,
Secretary to

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT
AND AGENCY CO. LTD.
General Agents for

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILDING
CO. LTD.

Hongkong, January 29, 1923.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON &
MACAO STEAMBOAT CO. LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ONE HUNDRED AND
THIRD ORDINARY MEETING
OF SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, 44, Des Voeux Road, on TUESDAY, 13th February, 1923, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing Directors and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday, 29th January, to Tuesday, 13th February, both days inclusive, during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. G. STEPHEN,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 5, 1923.

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANU-
FACTURING COMPANY, LTD.

THE THIRTY-NINTH ORDINARY

ANNUAL MEETING OF
SHAREHOLDERS in the above COM-
PANY will be held at St. George's

Building, Chater Road, Victoria, on

TUESDAY, the 27th February 1923, at 11 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of receiving a statement of accounts and the report of the General Manager for the year ending 31st December 1922, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from SATURDAY the 17th February, 1922, until TUESDAY, 27th February, 1923, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN, TOME & CO.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, February 8, 1923.

THE HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY AN-
NUAL MEETING OF SHARE-
HOLDERS will be held at the Offices of

Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. Ltd., on

TUESDAY, February 20th, 1923, at NOON

for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts for the year ended December 31st, 1922.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company, 5th February to Tuesday, February 20th, 1923, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. S. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 8, 1923.

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INTIMATIONS.

UNION WATERBOAT COMPANY.
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL
GENERAL MEETING of Share-
holders will be held at the Offices of
Messrs. Dodwell & Company, Limited,
on THURSDAY, the 16th February,
1923, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of
receiving the report of the General
Managers together with a statement
of accounts for the year ending
31st December 1922.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the
Company will be closed from the 8th
to 15th February 1923, both dates
inclusive.

DODWELL & COMPANY, LIMITED,
General Managers.

Hongkong, February 5, 1923.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI
BANKING CORPORATION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS

of the letting by Public Auction Sale to
be held on MONDAY, the 13th day ofFebruary, 1923, at 3 p.m., at the
Office of the Public Works Department, by
Order of His Excellency the Governor of

one Lot of GROWN LAND at Tai

Hang in the Colony of Hongkong, for

a term of 75 years, with the option of
renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed bythe Surveyor of His Majesty the King,
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BIRTHS

ENCARNACAO.—On February 3, 1923, at Shanghai, to Mr. and

Mrs. H. J. Encarnacao, a son.

BREWER.—On February 4, 1923, at

Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. H. E.

Brewer, twins (boy and girl).

CLARK.—On February 4, 1923, at

Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W.

Clark, a son.

DENON.—On February 4, 1923, at

Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. R. A.

E. Denton, a son.

DEATHS

SCHROTH.—On February 3, 1923,

at Shanghai, William J. Schroth.

WEBSTER.—On December 22, 1922,

in a Nursing Home, Edinburgh,

after a short illness, Mrs. Webster,

wife of Dr. James Webster,

U.S. Mission, Edinburgh, and

late of Manchuria, China.

KICKLAND.—On January 29, 1923,

at Shanghai, from double

pneumonia, Lawrence Henry

Kirkland.

HOPWOOD.—On February 2, 1923,

at Ningpo, Louise Mary Hop-

wood, of the Christians' Mission,

aged 79 years.

THE CHINA MAIL.

TRUTH, JUSTICE, PUBLIC SERVICE

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEB. 9, 1923.

"SUI AN" REPORT.

Mostly the "Sui An" Commis-

sion's findings confirm forecasts made

long ago. From the first it was

obvious the owners must be exonerated.

When the "Sui An" became

overdue they made every endeavour

to locate her. They could scarcely

have been expected to guess that the

missing vessel was miles away near

Shanghai until thorough search had

shown she was not among the islands

between Hongkong and Macao, delayed

through (say) a machinery break-

down. Likewise it soon became clear

that the personal conduct of the

Master and Officers during the piracy

had been above reproach. Taken

utterly by surprise it would have been

suicide for them to have acted

otherwise. Also it was only fitting

that the Commission should stipu-

late with official pride the talents

which have already been paid to the

pointed out, expected a far bigger haul than \$40,000 among nearly seventy men; and were perhaps even lucky to secure this much from a Sunday excursion steamer. They believed a very large sum was on board, in fact (as Mr. Wolfe confirmed) the opium monopoly money, nearly \$500,000 than \$50,000. The moral is plain—the greater the possible booty, the greater the extreme pirates will take. And now, even the very day the Commission's report is published, pirates are found ready to brave the added risks resulting from the stricter precautions adopted since the "Sui An" coup and plan the capture of the "Taishan," principally, if not solely, because the presence of wealthy refugees makes the vessel a richer prize.

Now many people carrying valuables think themselves safer travelling as ordinary Sunday trippers. They prefer to take the risk thus entailed rather than expose the desperate that treasure is aboard by having extra guards placed about the ship. But since it is difficult—in the East almost impossible, indeed—to keep the presence of valuables secret, it follows that every time people carry treasure unbeknown to the authorities they are making the ship a special mark for pirates. Since this practice endangers the whole ship it should be made an offence and heavy penalties should be imposed. However stringent the precautions the Commission's recommendations may introduce, piracy can never be wholly eliminated, the Commission itself deniating the root of the evil is outside the waters of the Colony. Consequently, with the disorders in the neighbouring Chinese territories showing every sign of continuing intensifying, the necessity for taking every precaution against piracy becomes acute. Therefore, when the Commission's recommendations come before the Legislative Council for enactment it is to be hoped that Mr. Wolfe's important suggestion will receive the attention it deserves. The strength of the chain lies in its weakest link. The existing regulation requires that the Captain Superintendent of Police shall be notified when treasure is being carried. Unless neglect is made a punishable offence, that link in the piracy prevention chain will be very weak indeed.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The Peak Tramway Co., Ltd., announces in an advertisement that the service will be suspended after the 7 a.m. car on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Humphreys returned to the Colony yesterday by the s.s. "Empress of Australia" after a long absence in England. Mr. J. H. Taggart also returned from a brief trip to Shanghai.

A time-table of bus service to the Peak during the week end, is published in an advertisement of the Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd., appearing in the "New Advertisements" columns of this issue.

The forthcoming marriage is announced of Mr. L. O. Nagel, of No. 52, Morrison Hill Road, to Miss Mabel Edna Musto, of No. 29, Morrison Hill Road, elder daughter of Mr. Musto of the Eastern Asbestos Co., Ltd.

Captain Paullowe of the China Navigation s.s. "Luchow" reports during the voyage from Shanghai to Amoy he met with a strong monsoon and picked up six survivors from the crew of a Changchow junk which had been wrecked by the gale. The men were landed at Amoy.

Mr. Carroll Bros. inform us that they have received a cable from their Shanghai Agents, advising the following declaration of Dividends:

Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd., Langkawi, have declared a Dividend of Tls. 0.20 per share.

New Engineering & Shipbuilding Co., Ltd., Dividend of Tls. 0.60 per share.

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A money changer's shop at Aberdeen was entered by three men armed with revolver yesterday evening when \$100 in change that was being handed to a customer, and between two and three hundred dollars from the till were taken. The robbery made off in the direction of Wan Chai Gap Road, firing several shots at a crowd of pursuers.

Another robbery has been reported from Tsimshau, the victim being a Chinese married woman at 33, Shanghai Street. On entering a room to discover the cause of a noise she was seized from behind by a man who snatched her from beneath a table. After being found and being seized, she was placed on the floor beside the shop and ransacked. Money and property to the value of \$60 was stolen.

This brings up to considerable

MUI TSAI BILL

SYSTEM MUST GO.

SECRETARY FOR STATE'S EDITOR.

SECOND READING DEBATE.

The pros and cons of the Mui Tsai Bill were argued at length at yesterday's meeting of the Legislative Council when the second reading of the measure was considered. A full report of the debate follows:

BRITISH UNOFFICIALS'

VIEWS.

HON. MR. POLLACK.

After the motion for the second reading had been moved and seconded the Hon. Mr. H. E. Pollack, K.C., said:

YOUR EXCELLENCY.—As the Senior Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council, I have been asked by my British colleagues to address this Council on the subject of this Bill. What I am saying, therefore, must be regarded as our joint views. The Senior Chinese Unofficial Member will address the Council on behalf of himself and his Chinese Colleague. I should add that the Chinese Members of Council concur in and support what I am about to say, and that we British Unofficial Members also concur in what the Senior Chinese Unofficial Member is about to say on behalf of the Chinese Members.

We regret to find that a great deal of misunderstanding has gathered round this subject. The Mui Tsai system is neither so benevolent as the more extreme of its supporters have sought to maintain, nor, on the other hand, is it so wholly wanting, in good points as the opponents of the system would have us believe, and we are content to accept the following language of the Attorney-General.

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"LAHORE"	5,263	13th Mar.	S'pore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
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"LAPONE"	8,000	21st Mar.	Singapore and Bombay.
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"NANKIN"	6,000	4th Apr.	S'pore, Penang, Colbo & B'bay.
"SICILIA"	7,000	18th Apr.	MARSEILLE, LONDON & A/worp.
"KARMAKA"	6,000	21st Apr.	do.
"KASHGAR"	9,000	21st Apr.	do.
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OUR FINANCES.

YESTERDAY'S COUNCIL
MINUTES.

After the Legislative Council had adjourned yesterday afternoon, the Colonial Secretary (the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, C.M.G.) presided over a meeting of the Finance Committee at which the following votes were approved:—

NEW MOTOR SHELTER. \$3,600 on account of miscellaneous services, erection of a motor car shelter Kowloon Point.

The Colonial Secretary: This expenditure has already been approved by hon. members.

NEW FIRE STATION. \$16,500 on account of Fire Brigade, Other Charges, Rent of Temporary Fire Station.

The Colonial Secretary: The rent of the temporary fire station is \$1,375 a month. This vote is for the whole year of 1923. The matter was settled just too late for the estimates.

PURCHASE OF TYPEWRITER. \$211 on account of Supreme Court, Other Charges, Purchase of a typewriter.

The Colonial Secretary: The need of this typewriter was not foreseen when the estimates were prepared. The present machine was purchased in 1906; it is of an obsolete type and has been sent for repair. It is proposed to insert a general vote for typewriters in next year's demand.

NEW APPOINTMENTS. \$10,200 in aid of the vote Sanitary Department, Personal Emoluments.

The Colonial Secretary: This sum is required to pay the salaries of the Chief Inspector, £200, and a first-clerk and asst. Secretary, \$350, of the Sanitary Department. These are new appointments approved by the Secretary of State after the passing of the estimates for this year.

JAPEANESE SQUADRON'S VISIT. \$5,240 in aid of the vote Miscellaneous Services, Other Miscellaneous Services.

The Colonial Secretary: This sum is required to cover the cost of entertaining the cadets and men of the Imperial Japanese Training Squadron, recently here. I should like to take this opportunity of thanking the Committee who made such excellent arrangements for entertaining the cadets and men, Mr. A. G. Lang, Commander Beckett, Commander Tait, R.N., Mr. D. K. Blair (Secretary) and Mr. M. F. Koy (Assistant Secretary).

NEW RAILWAY BRIDGE. \$13,000 in aid of the vote Kowloon-Canton Railway, Special Expenditure, Bridge No. 7.

The Colonial Secretary: The sum provided for building bridge number seven last year was \$61,000. In September an additional vote of \$34,000 was taken, making a total of \$95,000. The expenditure on the 31st December was \$73,487.88, leaving \$11,520.03, which lapsed. The Committee is now asked to vote \$12,000. It is probable that owing to the large amount of rock encountered in getting out the foundations of the south abutments and the bad foundations of the north abutments, the estimate is likely to be exceeded by \$7,000, and a revised estimate will be drawn up as soon as possible.

YATUMATI MARKET. \$6,000 on account of Public Works Extraordinary, Proposed temporary market at Yatsumati.

The Colonial Secretary: This is a vote for a sum approved by the Committee last year. It has not been expended.

LIGHTHOUSE BURNER. \$400 on account of Harbour Master's Department, Special Expenditure, Spare burner for light house burning Aga lights.

The Colonial Secretary: It will become necessary for the burns of Aga lights to be brought in for overhaul and repair. These have been working continuously for six or seven years. A spare burner, costing £40, will be used while each burner is under repair.

SEISMOGRAPH PENDULUM. \$779 on account of Royal Observatory, Special Expenditure, Seismograph.

The Colonial Secretary: The amount for the pendulum of the seismograph has been received from the Crown Agents. The vote lapsed in 1921 and no provision was made, but a special vote is required.

"I MAKEE SCANDAL."

RICSHA COOLIE'S REPRISAL.

DRANK MADAME LILY'S TEA.

A ricsha coolie formerly in the employ of Madame Lily was charged before Mr. R. E. Lindell at the Magistracy this morning with using insulting and abusive language and disorderly conduct.

Inspector Purdon who had charge of the case said that after leaving the ricsha in the streets for several hours, defendant was dismissed. Yesterday afternoon he returned to the shop and demanded his wages up to date. He caused a disturbance in the premises, went into the girls' workroom and drank their tea. A crowd gathered round the shop when Madame Lily sent for her husband who in turn sent for the Police.

In the box Madame Lily bore out the Inspector's statement adding that when arguing the defendant said "If you pay me, I makee scandal!" Witness later, referring to defendant, said that he is "cold and cold and scold me in Chinese." When she threatened to fetch a policeman he said: "I no care, you fetch a policeman, I wanchee."

Julia Passon one of the workgirls testified to seeing defendant drinking a cup of tea intended for Madame Lily when upon the witness remonstrated with him.

Defendant stated that on the day he was dismissed the ricsha needed repair as the tyres were punctured. He admitted drinking the tea because he did not think it was wanted. In explanation of his return, he said he thought he was entitled to his wages as he had been dismissed and had not resigned of his own accord.

His Worship in finding defendant 33 or 7 days told him that he had rights if "cold" for the seniors and "hot" for the juniors of the seniors and "hot" for the juniors had not been so deadly with the ball, the game might have been left drawn. By defeating Craigangower, I.R.C. have ousted the R.G.A. from second place in the league table.

COMPANY REPORTS.

UNION WATERBOAT CO. LTD.

The report of the General Managers (Messrs. Dodwell and Co.) for presentation to the shareholders at the eighteenth ordinary annual meeting to be held on February 15 states:—

The General Managers have now the pleasure to submit their Annual Report and Statement of the Company's Accounts made up to 31st December, 1922.

The profit for the year, including balance brought forward from last account amounts to \$76,673.54 and after writing off depreciation, etc., as decided by the General Managers and Consulting Committee there remains a balance available for appropriation of \$39,662.74.

The General Managers recommend the payment of a dividend of \$1.25 per share, which will absorb \$34,653.76, leaving a balance of \$5,008.99 to carry forward to the next account.

Consulting Committee: Since last meeting Messrs. A. E. Crapnel and R. G. Shawan have resigned and Mr. W. Adamson has joined the committee.

Auditor:—The Accounts under review have been audited by Mr. C. Bernard Brown, A.C.A.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.

Subject to audit the Directors of the Green Island Cement Co., Ltd., will at the forthcoming meeting of Shareholders to be held on Friday, February 23, recommend the following allocation of profits:—

To pay a Final Dividend of \$1.00 per share, \$300,000.00.

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CRICKET.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

LEAGUE AVERAGES.

Both the second league matches played last Saturday were of vital importance to the teams engaged. The position now is that the Indian second eleven are firmly established in the lead and seem assured of the championship. They were rather lucky to beat the Police as they were too long over their innings and have to thank the "bobbies" for being sport enough to attempt the impossible instead of playing for a draw. In addition to being out of the running, the Police have lost their unbeaten record. Still, with the material they have and considering their little opportunity for going to the nets, they have done very well. Alexander, Watts and the two Earshaws have inspired the others with any amount of enthusiasm.

Kowloon juniors put up a stubborn fight against the Sappers. When one recalls the case with which the R.E. beat them early in the season, Kowloon have proved wond-fully and if the bowlers find them form they should win at least another league match this season. Since their defeat at the hands of the Police on December 16 the R.E.s, who were regarded as possible champions, have only had one victory against one defeat and two draws. Inability on the bowlers' part to get wickets cheaply has been the chief cause of failure. Although they can hardly win the league now their remaining engagements will be watched with interest as they have to meet the I.R.C. and University (twice). By beating one they will be doing a great service to the other and vice versa.

In the senior league both games turned out as expected, the better teams winning. Reid did not play for Civil Service but the other trundlers were equal to dismissing the I.R.C. cheaply, their varied styles helping one another to an appreciable extent. Sutherland's 60 was top score for the league matches and his return should considerably strengthen the Civil Service team. A coincidence of the I.R.C. games was that the first and second elevens both had first innings and ran up the same score. The reluctance of the Indian batsmen to hit out has been referred to on several occasions and it's "cold" for the seniors and "hot" for the juniors of the seniors and "hot" for the juniors had not been so deadly with the ball, the game might have been left drawn. By defeating Craigangower, I.R.C. have ousted the R.G.A. from second place in the league table.

All the teams still in the running for league honours will be engaged to-morrow. The fixtures are:—

FIRST LEAGUE.

Kowloon v. H.K.C.C., I.R.C. v. Navy, University v. Civil Service.

SECOND LEAGUE.

R.E. v. I.R.C. 2nd XI, Civil Service 2nd XI v. University 2nd XI.

FRIENDLY.

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI v. Kowloon 2nd XI.

Kowloon are very badly placed in the league but their improved showing during the last few weeks has been impressive. Unless the Club bowlers make a better showing, Kowloon will run up an appreciable score but the Club will not be dismissed cheaply. I.R.C. v. Navy should be another close match with the chances slightly in favour of the Indians as they are playing on their own ground. University went down to Civil Service, went down to Civil Service.

Consulting Committee: Since last meeting Messrs. A. E. Crapnel and R. G. Shawan have resigned and Mr. W. Adamson has joined the committee.

Auditor:—The Accounts under review have been audited by Mr. C. Bernard Brown, A.C.A.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LTD.

A good combination has been announced for the Club team v. United Services on the 16th and 17th. The batting one is inclined to think has too much of a tail but considering previous showings it should do well. If the wicket remains as it is some excellent score should be made.

Lat. Saturday's matches did not make much difference to the league averages. To date only four batsmen have over 200 runs, namely A. H. Rumjahn, Owen Hughes, Oliver and Capt. Davies. Owen Hughes with 238 for 11 innings being easily the best. Hammond, who had the highest aggregate in the second league for some time, has been surpassed by H. D. Bamford and Alexander.

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MUI TSAI BILL.

(Continued from page 6.)

as head of the office but also as a friend. Well, Sir, in view of that statement of the Duke of Devonshire, I can hardly suppose that he intended by an intimation to absolutely preclude and bar himself from considering any reasoned opinion made by the unofficial members of the Council with regard to any measure brought before it. He also makes a statement to the effect that he will not interfere with the man on the spot. Well, Sir, I think the unofficial members of the Council can claim to be more than one man, and it is an interference with them. It is also, Sir, if the Head of the Colony is intended—an interference with the Governor of the Colony to say not merely that he wishes a certain measure to be passed but that he will not receive from the Governor any expression of opinion in Council, but insist upon a certain course of action being taken entirely without any reference to that opinion. I now, Sir, have to formally move as an amendment that Clauses 4 and 5 be put into Part 3 of this Bill, and upon this point I feel so strongly the disrespect that is being shown to the considered opinions of the unofficial members of this Council on the subject, I shall have to press for a division.

VERY DEFINITE INSTRUCTIONS.

H. E. The Governor: I think that his last sentence the hon. member is not referring to me as showing disrespect to the views of the Council. It is the last thing I desire to do, but in this matter, I have, as I have already stated, very definite instructions. The hon. member has read certain extracts from a telegram relating to what the Duke of Devonshire said after a luncheon on a certain occasion. I have a telegram here, dated shortly before that time, in which he says he considers this law should be passed without further delay, on the following lines: Declaration that payment in respect of a child confers no rights on the date of the passing of this Bill; registration of mui tsai in passing a Bill on the above lines there can be no compromise on the first and second provisions, but we will carefully and sympathetically consider any representations the Chinese may wish to make before the proclamation bringing Part III into force is issued. The telegram was sent after the Secretary of State received from here, a full statement as to the objections to the Bill raised by the Chinese community which cover all the ground which has been taken—and it was pointed out to me—I was told in the telegram—it was not the object of the bill to interfere with the rights of property, but to have a man sent to the Chinese to have no right of property. Now if one of these mui tsai, being of ripe age, says "I intend to leave my employer and the views of the Secretary for Chinese Affairs do not interest me," what is to be done?

The Hon. Mr. Pollock: But there will be persons claiming to be mui tsai and the effect of passing this clause is that after this you will have two forms—the legal and the illegal form—of mui tsai. You will have endless disputes and inquiries as to whether the person is in possession of the legal or illegal standing. Further it will mean that every single young Chinese girl coming to the Colony will be under suspicion as a potential suspected mui tsai. I do not know how many inspectors you have but you will have to have hundreds. I would ask for a division on this amendment.

The Hon. Mr. Chow Shou Sou seconded the amendment and on a division all the Unofficial members voted for the amendment and all the Official members against. The amendment was then rejected.

The Hon. Mr. Pollock moved that clause 6 be transposed so that sub-section 2 became sub-section 1 and vice versa. He thought this a better order.

The Attorney-General: I see no objection.

The amendment was agreed to.

NEW CLAUSES AGREED TO.

The Hon. Mr. Pollock moved that new clause be inserted after clause 6 to run as follows:

"In every prosecution for overwork or ill-treatment of a mui tsai medical evidence shall be given before the Magistrate trying the case as to the injuries received by such mui tsai and the magistrate shall find whether such ill-treatment amounted in his opinion, to gross cruelty or not.

"In the event of such magistrate finding that such ill-treatment amounts to gross cruelty, the offender shall not be given the option of paying a fine but shall be sentenced by the magistrate to imprisonment for a term not exceeding one year."

The Hon. Mr. Pollock moved a further clause—clause 8—as follows:

"The provisions of the Protection of Women and Girls Ordinance, 1897, and of the Offences against Persons Ordinance, 1895, shall, as hitherto apply to and include mui tsai."

H. E. The Governor: Is there any objection in that?

The Hon. Mr. Pollock: I do not think so.

The Hon. Mr. Pollock: I am quite prepared to leave the words out. It occurs to me that it is a very short general statement of the rights of mui tsai. Any mui tsai may leave her employment at any time, whatever without payment.

The Committee then discussed transferring various clauses to other parts of the Bill from those in which they appeared. It was agreed that these changes would necessitate reprinting the Bill and at this stage it was decided to resume the Committee stage at the next meeting.

The Council then resumed and adjourned its proceedings until 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, February 16.

After evidence was completed

yesterday, in the case in which three Chinese members of the crew of the motor-ship

ELLIS KADOURIE SCHOOL.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

The annual distribution of prizes of the Ellis Kadourie School for Chinese took place in the School Hall, at West Point, at noon to-day. Mrs. Severn (who was accompanied by the Hon. Dr. Cland-Sea, C.M.G., LL.D.) gave away the prizes. The visitors were received in the grounds of the school by a guard of honour drawn from the school's Boy Scouts. After Dr. Severn had inspected the Scouts, the visitors proceeded to the Hall, where a fine collection of water colour paintings done by the art students of the school, under the instruction of Miss Hall, and a number of pretty baskets of all shapes and sizes, made by the Boy Scouts of the school were on exhibition.

Dr. and Mrs. Severn were supported on the platform by the Hon. Mr. E. A. Irving (Director of Education), Mr. E. Ralph Inspector of English Schools, Mr. P. Wyllie and Mr. U. Rungjahn (Members of the Board of Education), Mr. Ho Kom-tong, the Rev. G. T. Waldegrave (Commissioner of Boy Scouts) and Mr. R. E. C. Bird (Headmaster).

Mr. Bird read the school report as follows:—

"I have the sad duty of recording the death of our two chief Patrons, Sir Ellis Kadourie and Mr. Lau Chu Pak. They were always present at our prize-givings and the loss to the school is very great indeed. Without their generosity this school would not have existed and given education to the great numbers that have passed through it. Their names should, and I believe, will always be remembered with gratitude by all old boys.

I have much pleasure in informing you that Mr. Lau Tu-chung has given two scholarships to Classes 5 and 6 for English Composition of the value of \$30 and \$20 respectively. They will be called the Mrs. Lau Chu-pak scholarships in honour of his mother. I feel that they will be a great stimulus for these classes to work hard to acquire a sound knowledge of the English language. The best thanks of the school are due to him for this encouragement of what is the most important subject in the school.

Mr. Ho Kom-tong has very kindly increased his scholarships here from \$60 to \$120. One scholarship of \$60 is now given to Class 4, one of \$30 to Class 5 and one of \$20 to Class 6. There has been very keen competition for these scholarships and I am sure that Mr. Ho Kom-tong will agree with me that the greatest return he can have for his generosity is that they have been worthily earned and I can assure him that last year this was certainly the case. This year in Class 5 there are over 120 boys and in Class 6 over 150, so I have no doubt the competition will be equally keen.

The maximum number on the roll last year was 676 and the average daily attendance 588. In only one month did the number of boys on the roll fall below 600.

To follow the changes of a kaleidoscopic staff is a difficult task, but I may mention a few of the chief. At this time last year Mr. Evans was with us. In the spring he was sent to Kowloon British School and this school was left without an English Assistant Master until the return of Mr. Mycock on November 9th. Mr. Ng Fung Chan was transferred to the Normal School as Head Master. He had been with us ever since the school was taken over by the Government. His work here was always very thorough and he had left a deep impression on the school. I congratulate him upon his well-earned promotion. Messrs. Lo Ki-sen and Kuo Ping-ho both Graduates of the Hongkong University came here in June. They have made a good start. Mr. Ng Chung-sau, the Sportsmaster has left us. Mr. Kyok Kam-fat and Mr. Yik Tat-ting after doing good work here have resigned.

Miss Hall has continued the teaching of art which was introduced into the school shortly before last prize-giving. It is making good headway. As evidences of her influence are around us in great numbers, it is needless to dilate upon her work.

Singing was introduced into the lower classes during the year, partly with the idea of teaching English by its means. We have not yet had time to judge fully of its results, but at present they are quite promising. Miss Etheridge is in charge of this instruction and has been successful in inspiring her pupils with a love of the subject.

The Vernacular work which for so many years and so efficiently had been supervised by Mr. Ng Fung Chan is now under the charge of Mr. Lee Tsui, who has entered upon his new task with energy and we have every hope that the standard which was set by Mr. Ng Fung Chan will be kept up.

The Library has been in the hands of Mr. Cheng Kuan, and has been very well patronised by the pupils. There is always a large number who take advantage of the facilities offered and it helps them

to acquire a proficiency in both English and Chinese which they would otherwise lack. The post of Librarian is now vacant and out thanks are due to Mr. Cheung Kai-fai, for the way in which he has fulfilled his duties.

The Boy Scouts are under Mr. Lau Kwan Shan. Two of them were awarded the gilt cross for gallantry for carrying a murdered man to the Police Station after everybody else in the district had run away. These medals were presented to the boys by His Excellency who congratulated them upon their bravery. In this connection I may mention that, while talking over the matter with Mr. Ho Ya-ching, a teacher who had been in the school since it was taken over by Government, he stated that no Chinese boy would have done this except a Boy Scout. I asked him why and he replied that Boy Scouts are trained to do this sort of thing and no Chinese boy would do this without training. I thought this a very high compliment to the training of the Boy Scouts and also a very strong proof of the necessity of training more boys in this way.

The Scouts held a successful camp in Ching Yuen, near Tai Po Market. They are now taking up basket-making. Samples of their handiwork are on view and I think are very creditable to their industry and skill.

In games we have had our own. We direct our attention mostly to swimming and Volley Ball. The Small Boys' Team won the Relay Race at the H.A.A.P. Aquatic Sports last October and we carried off three other prizes. The school was taken out in launches on nine occasions for swimming, to such places as Stonecutter's Island, Big Wave Bay, Silver Mine Bay and Island Bay and these trips were very much enjoyed by all the boys. On some occasions more than 400 boys were taken. I regret very much to say that one boy was drowned in the Y.M.C.A. bath last November. Boxing is carried on under the charge of Sergeant Marriot. We have had boys kidnapped during the year, but none from the Boxing Class.

The World Theatre was kindly lent to the boys to collect money for the Swatow Relief Fund. This was done at the suggestion of the boys and a very energetic Committee collected the sum of \$850 in small amounts. This was handed over to the Tung Wah Hospital to be forwarded.

The boys also of their own initiative collect every year a sum of money for the support of a Vernacular School for poor Chinese boys. The lower classes in the school, over 400 in number, attend the Y.M.C.A. regularly for drill and swimming lessons. It is hoped that this will bring them up to a higher standard of health and strength and we thank the Physical Department of the Y.M.C.A. for their valuable work in this respect. You, Sir, first gave away the prizes here in January, 1916, and on every occasion since we have had the honour of your presence, I beg to thank you on behalf of the staff and boys for so kindly coming here again and offering the two Art Prizes for which there is always very keen competition. This year 35 boys competed. I beg to thank Mrs. Severn for coming here to-day and giving away the prizes. I know that their value is enhanced by receiving them from her hands.

I beg also to thank Mr. Li Ping and Messrs. Choong Sun for kindly presenting prizes to the school." SCHOLARSHIPS 1921.

Tai Yau Scholarship—Ng Ting Chuk.
Lau Chu Pak Scholarship—Choi Fan Yung.
Chan Kai Ming Scholarship—Lau Yau Fan.

SCHOLARSHIPS 1922.

Lugard Scholar—Ko Chin Lun.
Free Scholarships to Queen's College: Lee Pui Tong, Wai In Chung, Pau Tat Shing, Tso Po Shan and Fung Yau Lau.

Tai Yau Scholarship—Yeung Man Yau.

Half Fee Scholarships to Queen's College—Chak Fu Yee and Yik Kung Ting.
Lau Chu Pak Scholarship—Chu U Chap.

Ho Kong Tong Scholarship—Iam Wai Man.
Mrs. Lau Chu Pak Scholarship—Tam Kam Shan.

Ho Hon Tong Scholarship—Hu Chak Keung.

Chan Kai Ming Scholarship—Lee Pui Ki.

Ho Kom Tong Scholarship—Fung I Shan.

Mrs. Lau Chu Pak Scholarship—Pau Kun Tui.

PRIZE LIST.

ENGLISH CLASSES.

Class 4—1st, Tung Man Pan
2nd, Leng Ing Tsoi.

Class 4—1st, In Kai In
2nd, Soi Lam.

Class 4—1st, Chui Kai Sun
2nd, Pui Ming Kwon.

Class 5—1st, Chan Ping Tsoi
2nd, Leung Kai Ming.

Class 5—1st, Weng Yau Che
2nd, Ip Kai Hei.

Class 5—1st, Yau Shan
2nd, Do Yan Chuen.

BURIED ALIVE UNDER HAYSTACK.

HELPLESS FATHER'S TERRIBLE ORDEAL.

With tears streaming down his cheeks, John Munro, an aged Deodar farmer, related at an Aberdeen inquest, how he made a frantic but vain attempt to save the life of his son Robert, who, while engaged in cutting a haystack, in two, was suffocated by one of the halves falling on top of him.

The old man said that the method adopted was to cut the stack with a knife, and Robert had got one-half in class condition but sporting if not highly scientific play may be expected. The green is large enough for three full sized ricks and Members are looking forward to a very pleasant afternoon.

While the bowing games are in progress short sailing races for service boats and racing yachts will take place. The courses selected will be chosen with a view to the whole course as far as possible being in sight of the Club grounds. Racing Yachts will pass round the mark in front of Club House from West to East to a mark boat off Kowloon Point, from thence to a mark boat of Holt's Wharf and back to the starting line twice round, thus spectators will be able to closely follow the progress of the races throughout.

Additional interest attaches to these races as the majority of the boats will be sailed by Naval Officers. Three events have been arranged for service boats of the Warships in Harbour, starting from the Tamar line passing in view of the Yacht Club and finishing at the Club House. These races can easily be followed as distinguished letters and numbers are marked on the sails.

Given fine weather, an agreeable afternoon may be anticipated. Arrangements for conveyance by launch and motor bus have been made.

Tea will be served and the "Hawkins" Band will play on the lawn.

YACHT CLUB GALA.

NEW BOWLING GREEN.

OPENING CELEBRATION TO-MORROW.

Tomorrow the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club have arranged an interesting programme of sailing events to mark the opening of the New Bowling Green, which was presented last year by Mr. Smyth, during his term of office as Commodore.

Owing to the long spell of dry weather, the green is not yet in first class condition but sporting if not highly scientific play may be expected. The green is large enough for three full sized ricks and Members are looking forward to a very pleasant afternoon.

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telex messages were sent to the ship.

Next morning, searches were posted on the wharf and only one passenger was permitted to enter at a time. At 8 a.m. the ship left as usual but the passengers were not put on board till 10 a.m. The "Moorsie" was reached. From here onwards H. M. S. "Hood" followed at a short distance. On board special men were detailed as guards to various parts of the ship, special attention being paid to a company of about thirty men in the second class whose movements were suspicious and who did not appear to be of the usual type of passenger. Telegrams were sent to Hongkong and

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When the "Moorsie" made her appearance the alleged gang became uneasy. One man drew particular attention by continually going to the ship's side as though expecting something. At 10 a.m. the boat was heavily manned and picked up the man. The "Hawthorn" was boarded by the Police outside the harbour and all the passengers and their luggage were searched. As far as can be gathered no arms were found but a few who looked suspicious were closely examined.

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He was handed over to the Police on arrival. At the wharf, a number of passengers were detained for enquiry.

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relatives on the "Hawthorn" and

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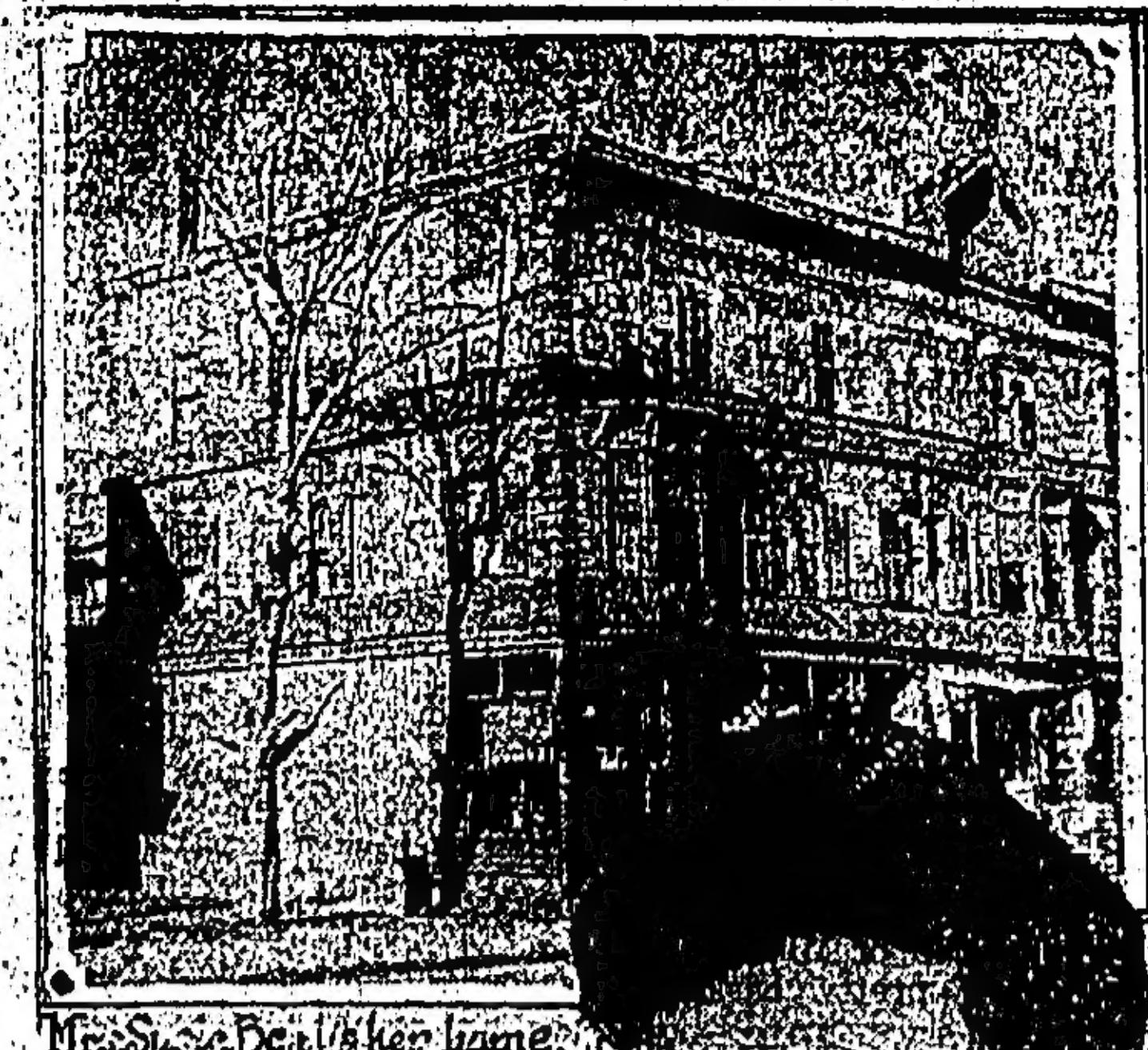
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Captain Charles Pike, of the United States Army Medical Bureau, is shown enjoying his dinner in the Crown Point (Indiana) Jail, where he is held in charge preferred by the father of his present wife, Mrs. Frances Heile Pike, that he is a bigamist. "Mrs. Marjory Pike" alleges she is the wife of the army officer. Despite her father's action, the present Mrs. Pike rushed to her husband's defense.



Terrible fire which the cable reported having swept through Astoria, Oregon. The damage to property amounted to \$15,000,000.



Mrs. Susie Beal, who lives on the second floor of this humble little home claims to be heirress to a \$250,000,000 property in lower Manhattan Island, New York City. A recently discovered will purports to show that Princess Annette Jan Bogardus, Mrs. Beal's great-great-grandmother, did not barter away the tip of New York for two bushels of corn, and under this Mrs. Beal claims the land on which such buildings as the Woolworth, Singer Tower, City Hall and other Broadway structures stand. She declares the long-term lease on the land expired last April.



Mr. Newcombe Carlton, President of the Western Union Telegraph Co., has just made a business and pleasure trip in Europe.

Baron Hanihara

William H. Gilmore

William H. Gilmore who established a world record in the production of air-dried, sealed corn when he produced an average of 134.31 bushels on ten acres.



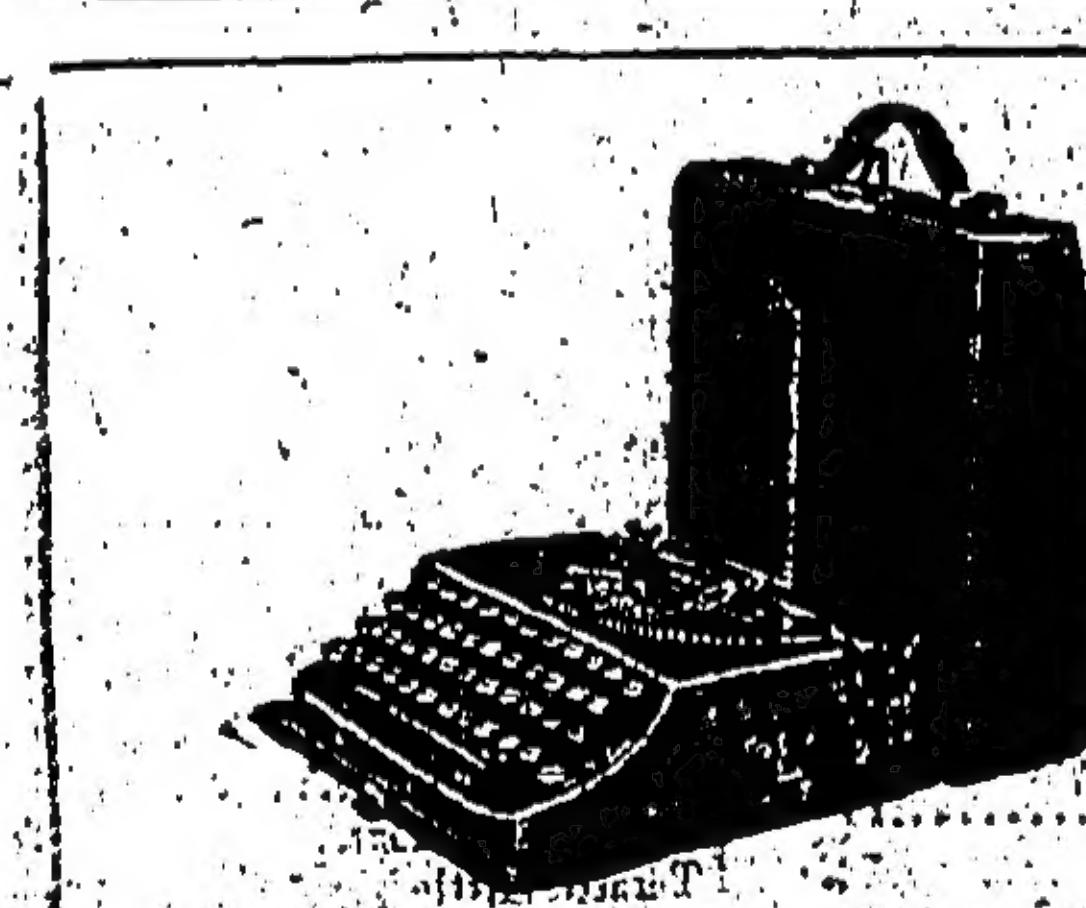
The little son of Mrs. Albert Chapman contracted pneumonia, and the parents were unable to get coal enough to heat their home. Dr. Frederick Bailey solved the problem by gravely writing a "prescription" that coal was as necessary to save the baby's life as medicine—and the coal dealer filled the prescription without question.



These miners are really Governors of American States, with their wives, taken during their recent conference in White Sulphur Springs. Dressed in miners' garb, they descended the Glen White Coal Mine to the 370 foot level, whence they rode for a mile in little coal cars.



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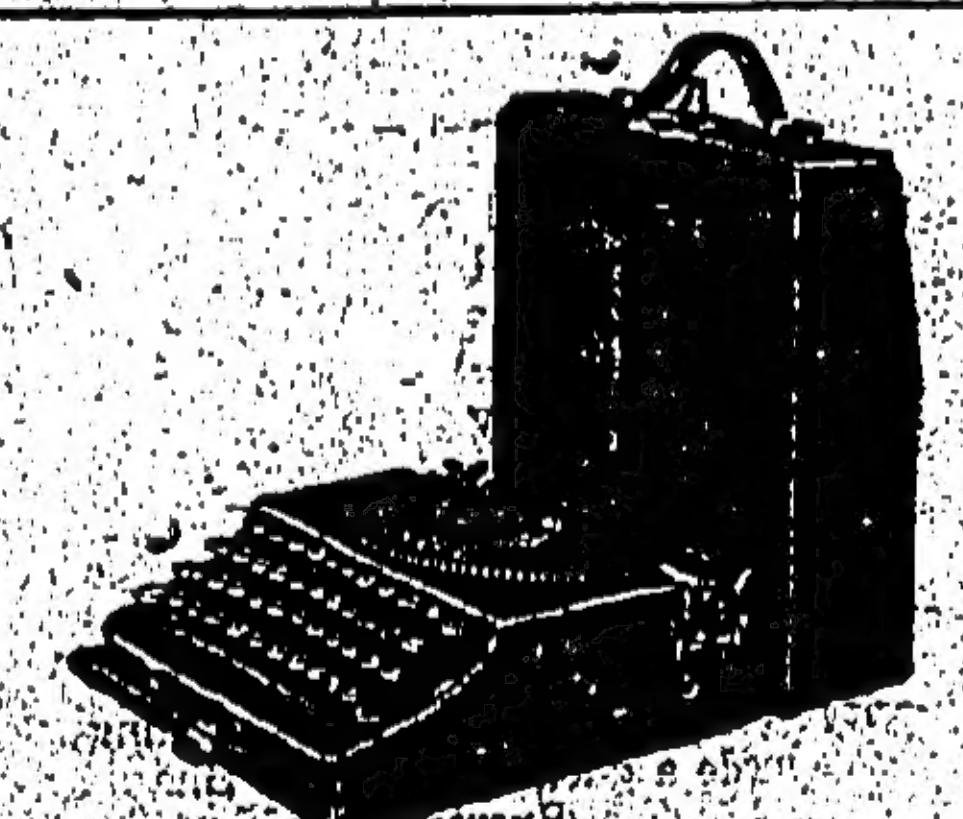
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TWO OF IT
WE'VE SPENT
IN JAIL.

IVE GOT A DECK
OF CARDS, WISH
WE HAD A TABLET
TO PLAY ON.

THIS JAIL
HAS NO
CONVENiences.

WONDER HOW I
CAN MAKE THIS
FIRE CRACKER MAKER
UNDERSTAND ME?

TALK
LOUD TO
HIM.

GO ON
AN PLAY
DINTY.

DON'T THROW YOUR
CARDS DOWN SO HARD
YOU'LL WAKE HIM UP.

BRINGING UP FATHER



EARLIER TELEGRAMS:

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail).
NEAR EAST CRISIS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 10th.
It is reported that the Governor of Smyrna has informed the French Consul that he has extended the time given to the warships to leave the Harbour, by twenty-four hours, in order that he may receive instructions from Angora. All was quiet in Smyrna this morning. Admiral Nicholson, aboard the light cruiser *Curaçao*, which was standing off Smyrna, was ordered this morning to enter Smyrna Harbour, to support the *Curaçao* if necessary. In addition to the *Curaçao*, the super-dreadnoughts *Revolucion* and *Emperor of India* have arrived at Smyrna.

Besides the *Ernest Renan*, the French destroyer *Somali*, a Dutch battleship and an Italian warship are also at Smyrna. Rear Admiral Sir A. E. M. Chatfield, aboard the *Cardiff*, arrived at Chanak yesterday and proceeded to Constantinople.

The warships at Smyrna consist of the British *Cypres* and the French Cruiser *Ernest Renan*. Information from independent sources states that the entrance to the harbour of Smyrna has been mined since the Mudros Convention and the only channel free from sweepers within a few yards of the coast battery.

THE RUHR OCCUPATION.

The tussle between France and Germany in the Ruhr area continues, troops have occupied Hückeswagen, Wagnerschau and Overath in the Elberfeld district, and thus control all the lines from the Ruhr into the British area. This stage means the closing of one of the main outlets of German trade, and leaves only the sea coast ports available.

The French have declared that railway subordinates are liable to be shot.

After court-martalling, several more German officials have been expelled, including the presidents of the railway direction at Treves.

The Ludwigshafen railways are apparently disorganized owing to strikes, and the French have taken over the complete railway administration of the Bavarian Rhineplatte. All stations in the Belgian zone are closed.

BERLIN, February 8th.
A message from Essen states that discharge at Duisburg has been stopped in consequence of the refusal of shippers to pay to the French—the river dues and customs hitherto collected by Germans. This is likely to affect the provisioning of the industrial region.

PARIS, February 8th.
A semi-official statement replying to critics on why Herr Cuno was recently permitted to enter the Ruhr explains that German Ministers were not forbidden to do so, but in view of Herr Cuno's attitude the and the secret attempt to excise him, steps would be taken to prevent a repetition of this and penalties would be provided for transgression.

CHINO-JAPANESE INCIDENTS IN MANCHURIA.

PEKING, February 8.
Japanese sources report three incidents in Manchuria in which Japanese soldiers and police have been assaulted. The first occurred on January 9 when a party of Japanese soldiers on an excursion from Changchun were visiting the adjoining village. They knocked at the door of a Chinese house, for the purpose of inquiring where their whereabouts when they were shot at from within, one soldier being killed. The second incident occurred in the same neighbourhood a few days later, when Chinese soldiers interfered with the military communication. Resenting admonition from a Japanese policeman, they assaulted him severely, stole his revolver, and partially wrecked the police station. The third affair occurred at Kungchung on February 1 when a party of Japanese soldiers on their rounds were fired on by a Chinese policeman.

These matters have been taken up by the respective consuls with the local authorities.

CHINA'S FINANCIAL SITUATION.

PEKING, February 8.
The financial situation is rousing great interest among Chinese and foreigners. It is very unlikely that Parliament will sanction the loan before the recess, but the Government hope to find sufficient funds from the Salt surplus and the issue of two million debentures to the banks. These, unlike bonds will not require the consent of Parliament.

HONGKONG HEIGHTS.

For the information of visitors the following list of some of the highest points on the Island and Mainland is published:

ISLAND	FEET
Signal Station	1774
Mr Parker	1734
Mountain Lodge	1725
The Erys	1725
Peak Hotel	1805
Tsukoo Sanatorium	1000
Mr. Davis	877
Bowen Rd. (Gibraltar)	893
MAINLAND	
Tsimshau	8124
Kowloon Peak	1871
Lei Hoek	1645
Shauk Pass	1000
Custom Pass	760
Devil's Peak	724

LOW MEDIUM.
THIS SPIRITUALISTIC STUNT.

Well known for many years as a spirit medium, Frederick Stanley Munnings (47), described as a boarding-house keeper of Hastings, was indicted at the Surrey Quarter Sessions on charges of breaking into a dwelling-house at Woking and of stealing articles to the value of £50.

Superintendent Boshier, of the Surrey police, gave a remarkable account of Munnings' career.

Munnings, he said, was born at Lowestoft on October 21, 1876; of respectable parents. His father was a Trinity pilot. He was educated at British Schools, Lowestoft. After leaving school he was employed as a clerk at the local County Court offices, where he remained until he was 17 years of age.

He then obtained a situation as auctioneer's clerk at Fottenham. When about 20 he married his present wife. He was at the time the licensee of a public-house in Poplar. From 1907 to 1916 Munnings was a member of the Popular Board of Guardians, and for the latter part of that period was chairman of the Board.

On June 4, 1917, continued Superintendent Boshier, at Bournemouth he was bound over for six months for stealing a bicycle.

After this he appeared to have transacted business in property, and was made a bankrupt on February 15, 1921. He moved to Hastings in 1921. While residing at Hastings, in a boarding establishment carried on by his wife, he practised as Spiritualist medium, and from this source appeared to have derived a considerable amount of money. On August 20, 1921, Munnings was arrested at Poplar for obtaining and attempting to obtain money by false pretences.

In early September of last year he left his home, and appeared to have visited different places, giving seances as a trumpet medium, and had also undoubtedly obtained sums of money by false pretences from people with whom he became acquainted. His methods had been the cause of much discussion among Spiritualist organisations.

The Chairman, in sentencing the prisoner to nine calendar months' hard labour, said: "You appear to have conducted a variety of systems of defrauding your neighbours, and you have taken up this Spiritualistic stunt, as we may call it; but you don't seem to have succeeded in defrauding the Spiritualistic fraternity, who describe you as a mischievous medium of low order." I think that describes you."

YANKEE CROOK.
VERY MUCH ENGAGED.

An exchange of confidences between two American girls led to the capture of a "crook," who, although married, had become engaged to both and extracted large sums of money from them. When her lifelong friend arrived on a visit from Buffalo, Lena Belsky, aged 21, of New York, had much to tell her, not the least important of the confidences that were exchanged being the announcement that Lena was going to be married. As the wedding secret was divulged her friend glanced towards the bureau on which stood a heart-shaped frame containing the photograph of a good-looking man. When her eyes took in the photograph she got a surprise, and turning to Lena she remarked: "How much did he get from you?"

"He got £100 of my life savings," was the reply.

"But," she added, "why do you stare at the photo, and why did you think he got any of my money?"

"Because he got even more from me," was the reply of the visitor, "and he then disappeared."

It transpired that Lena's friend had met the man in Coney Island, and he had promised marriage. He seemed depressed because he was unable to set up house at once, and she had given him a loan (as he termed it) of money to buy the furniture. He had then vanished, and it was when she saw his photograph in Lena's bureau that she knew him to be a rogue. The girls went out in search of the man who had duped them both. They were fortunate in finding him without him being aware of the fact, and calling a police officer, the girls and the policeman tracked him to his home. When they entered he was playing with his two children, and his wife was preparing his dinner. He gave the name of Samuel Lewinter, said he was 30 years of age, admitted getting the money, but said he was going to pay it back. Lewinter could not explain why he got himself engaged to two girls and received money from them to furnish a house. According to the police, Lewinter is a "crook" and lives by such heartless frauds.

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30 days sight—

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Bank Wires—

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10 " " 12 p.m.

5 " " 12 p.m.

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18.5 " 2 p.m.

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8 " 2 p.m.

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21 " 2 p.m.

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7.00 a.m. 7.10 a.m.

7.30 a.m. to 8.00 a.m. every 15 minutes

8.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. 10

10.00 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. 10

11.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m. 10

12.00 p.m. to 1.00 p.m. 10

1.00 p.m. to 2.00 p.m. 10

2.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. 10

3.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. 10

4.00 p.m. to 5.10 p.m. 10

5.10 p.m. to 6.00 p.m. 10

6.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. every 30 minutes

8.00 p.m. to 11.45 every 15 minutes

SATURDAYS.

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7.00 a.m. 7.10 a.m.

7.30 a.m. to 8.30 a.m. every 15 minutes

8.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. 10

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5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. 10

6.30 p.m. to 8.30 p.m. 10

8.30 p.m. to 10.30 p.m. every 30 minutes

10.30 p.m. to 11.45 p.m. 10

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HONGKONG, February 9, 1923.

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Leezug 9 a.m.

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